

REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement, applicant provisionally elects, with traverse, the claims of Group I, that is claims 1-15 drawn to a camera having a concave spherical surface, classified in class 348, subclass 341.

Reconsideration of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested. Applicant respectfully submits that even if a technical argument for distinction can be shown, the fact is that claims 16-27 in Group II drawn to a display device classified in class 348, subclass 333.02 and claims 1-15 in Group I drawn to a camera classified in class 348, subclass 341 appear to be so interrelated that a complete search and examination of the elected claims of Group I, would also appear to require a search and consideration of the class and subclass for the non-elected claims of Group II.

Since a search of the class and subclass of the non-elected claims appears necessary for a complete search and examination of the elected invention, the search and examination of all claims in this application should be able to be conducted without serious burden.

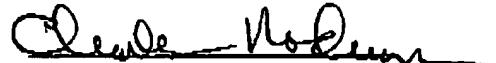
Accordingly, it is believed that the guidelines of MPEP §803 are applicable. MPEP §803 states:

If the search and examination of an entire application can be made without serious burden, the examiner must examine it on the merits, even though it includes claims to distinct or independent inventions.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the examiner reconsider and withdraw the restriction requirement and examine all claims in this application.

In view of the foregoing remarks, reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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